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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Title:	Fixing Device for Injection Needles	Group Art Unit: 3763

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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action and Restriction Requirement dated March 20, 2008.

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